## **REMARKS**

Sent herewith are fully executed terminal disclaimers as to U.S. patent 6,705,555 B1 and U.S. patent application serial no. 10/764,433 filed on March 21, 2003 to obviate the double patenting rejections.

The correction to the specification has also been made in this amendment. The present application should be in condition for allowance, and such action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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